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REMARKS

The Office Action mailed May 5, 2006 has been received. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the following comments.

Double Patenting

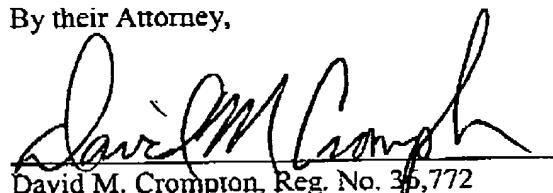
Claims 19-33 are rejected on the ground of nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over claims 1-17 of U.S. Patent No. 6,764,484 to Richardson et al. Applicants do not concede the correctness of the rejection. However, in the interest of advancing prosecution, Applicants herewith enclose a Terminal Disclaimer. Reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejection are respectfully requested.

Reexamination and reconsideration are respectfully requested. It is respectfully submitted that all pending claims are now in condition for allowance. Issuance of a Notice of Allowance in due course is requested. If a telephone conference might be of assistance, please contact the undersigned attorney at (612) 677-9050.

Respectfully submitted,

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